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Williams retires from Wyoming National Guard

CHEYENNE, Wyo. – Maj. James J. Williams, of Cheyenne, Wyo., retired from the Wyoming Army National Guard recently, after 23 years of service.

He most recently served as a staff officer with the Joint Forces Headquarters, in Cheyenne. Williams went through the ranks from private to staff sergeant from 1980 through 1989. Williams went through Officer Candidate School in July 1989. Other duty assignments have included the 133rd Engineer Corps, 115th Field Artillery Brigade, 84th Combat Support Team Weapons of Mass Destruction, 2-300th Field Artillery. Williams spent his officer career working as chemical, operations and staff officer.

Williams began his military career as a motor transportation operator with the 133rd Engineers, in 1980. He received many awards during his career, including; Army Service Ribbon, National Defense Service Medal, two Armed Forces Reserve Medal, five Army Achievement Medals, Global War on Terrorism Medal, Wyoming National Guard Achievement Ribbon.

He lives in Cheyenne and is a teacher at McCormick Junior High School in Cheyenne.

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Picture available upon request.